DIVERSION

The First Work Will be the Building of a Bridge.

FORFEITS HIS BAIL BOND

Negro . Preacher Charged With Stealing a Cqw Leaves for Parts Unknown.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA., September 22.— Messrs. Lotta and Armstrong, the bridge builders from Philadelphia, who are subcontractors for that part of the work on the diversion of the Appomattox River. stated here a few days ago that their machinery had been shipped, and was dally expected here.

It is very likely that the first work will be the building of the highway bridge, which is to be a timber tresle, 800 feet long, and 14 feet wide, extend-

bridge, which is to be a timber itesle, 800 feet long, and it feet wide, extending from the foot of Second Street, at
the point where—it turns toward focahontas Bridge, across the Apponaitox
River to Haskins's Hill.

When the new channel is diedged another bridge will be constructed where
the Atlantic Coast Line Italiroad will
cross, under that section of track which
now lies on the long embankment across
filliam's Meadow. The tracks will cross
the river itself on the big dam.

The government contract requires that
work shall begin by October 3, 1994, and
be compicted within two years.

JUMPS HIS BAIL.

Robert Wilkins, the negro preacher
from Sussex county, who is under indictment here on the charge of stealing a
cow from a friend in Sussex, and selling
it in Petersburg, failed to appear in the
Hustings Court this morning when his
case was called for trial, thereby
torfeiting a bail bond of \$30 which had
been furnished by his wife and a friend.
Wilkins left his home yesterday taking a train for parts unknown via Petersburg, which he declared to be his
destination.

The case will remain on the criminal
docket of the court.

CONTRACT LET.

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CONTRACT LET.
Mr. W. W. Robinson, an architect and builder in this city, has secured from the Robert Portner Brewing Company, of Alexander, the contract for the building o) its new distributing depot, which is to be creeted at the corner of Second and River Streets. Mr. Robinson's bld was table.

The Portner Brewing Company has a large and active branch in this city under the management of Mr. William Koenig, and the new depot will be one of its most important distributing points for Southern business.

FREDERICKSBURG.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton S. Gay

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Celebrate Golden Wedding.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Sept. 22.—
The formal opening of Fredericksburg
College to the Times of Fredericksburg
College to the Times of the evening was delivered by Rev. H. H. Barber,
pastor of Trinity Episcopal Church. Miss
Kate Doggett sang several selections and
the college orchestra rendered excellent
music. The college opens the zession
under the most auspicious circumsances,
with a large list of boarders and others
still coming in every day.
Mayor Thomas P. Wallace is quite sick
at his country place in Culpeper county,
where he went a few days ago under
the advice of Mrs. Embrey, recorder,
is filling the position as Mayor.
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Collins, of Caroline
county, have 'ssued cards for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Annie Graham Collins, to Mr. Charles T. Jessee, at
Aniloch Church, Bowling Green, October
5th, at noon,
Mr. and Mrs. Newton S. Gay celebrated
the fiftleth anniversary of their mar-

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r, and Mrs. Newton S. Gay celebrated
fiftieth anniversary of their mara on September 18th at "Milbrook,"
r home in Spotsylvania, county, where
y received the congratulations of many

ds.

Linwood Briggs, of Stafford county,
on his way home on horse back
w nights ago, was thrown by his
y and ser'ously injured. His shoulwas dislocated, and he was otherbackly horse.

horse and servousy injures. It is some der was dislocated, and he was other-wise badly hurt.

Mr. Archie P. McCalley, formerly of this city, now of Richmond, and Miss Bessie C. Wells, of that city, were mar-ried in Washington Tuesday, and are now enjoying a wedding trip to the World's Fair,

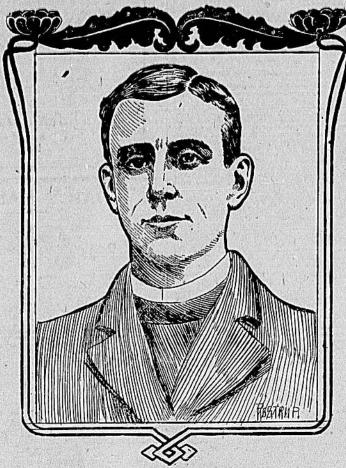
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CULPEPER, VA., Sept. 22.—The fire of the many fall weddings occurred Wed

CULPEPER, VA., Sept. 22.—The first of the many fall weddings occurred Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock, at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hood, when their only daughter. Miss Nellie Hood became the bride of Dr. Lilburn Everett Ward, in the presence of a large and fashionable gathering of relatives and friends. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. W. Moore, of the Presbyterian Church, a personal friend of the bride and groom.

The bride, attired in a beautiful gown of white creps de chine, triumed in rare old lace, with the regulation veil and some in a gown of white mousseline with wide pink girdle, which blended in a tistic effect with the La France roses of her bouquet. Mr. H. Umberger, one of Pocahontas's most popular young men, actid as best man. After the ceremony the many friends were afforded an opportunity for congratulations, after which the happy couple left for an extended trip west, the handsome bride wearing a gown of dark brown cloth.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. J. S. Moore, Mrs. Clayton Manson and Miss Sarah Rowman; of Lynch. Ung; Mrs. Hammett, of Pittsburg, and Faber Pitzer, of Alexandria. The bride

APPOMATTOX FORMER VIRGINIAN IS ELECTED BISHOP



REV. DR. ARTHUR S. LLOYD.

Dr. Arthur S. Lloyd, of New York, Chosen to Succeed the Late Bishop Dudley.

it. close of it he was named as rector of St. Luke's Church, in Norfolk, Va. While he had charge of the church the number of communicants doubled and he sent six men into the ministry. Dr. Lloyd is at present general secretary of the

The announcement of the election of the Rev. Dr. Arthur S. Lloyd, of New York, to succeed the late Right Rev.
Thomas Underwood Pudley, as Bishop of Kentucky, was read with the greatest-interest in Richmond and throughout the State.

Board of Missions of the Protestant Episcopai Church, with headquarters in New York city. This is the postition which Thomas Underwood Pudley, as Bishop of Kentucky, was read with the greatest-interest in Richmond and throughout the State. in the office has been a most successful one. He has accomplished great things in the reorganization of the missionary work of the church and its efficiency has been greatly increased under the system he has employed. Dr. Lloyd is forty-eight years old. He is married and has four children.

Whether or not Dr. Lloyd will accept the call from Kentucky, is a matter as yet unsettled. A year or two ago he declined the bishopric of Mississippi.

ras the recipient of many gifts of sil-er, linen and glass, some of them of nuch value and unique design. Dr. and irs. Ward will make Pocahontas their

Orange-Sprouse.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICK'S HALL, VA., Sept. 22.—
Very pretty wedding was solemnized
to the home of the bride's parents yeserday afternoon at 2 o'clock, near _ukoo, when Mr. Oscar A. Orange led to ckoo, when Mr. Oscar A. Orange led to the altar Miss Minnie Sprouse. The con-mony was performed by Rev. Mr. Hanna, of Gordonsville, after which the bridal party accompanied by many of their friends repaired to the home of the groom at Frederick's Hall, where a sumptuous repast was spread.

Edson-Partridge.

Bessie C. Wells, of that city, were married in Washington Tuesday, and are now enjoying a wedding trip to the World's Fair.

BRILLIANT WEDDING.

Miss Nellie Hood the Bride of Dr. L. E. Ward.

Thomas—Hudson.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)

ALEXANDRIA, VA. Sept. 22.—Miss Alice G. Hudson and Mr. Robert T. Thomas, both well known young people of this city, were married yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, 910 King street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. P. Stump, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

(Special to Tile Times-Dispatch.)

NEWPORT NEWS, VA. Sept. 22—Dr.
J. W. Bowdoln, of Accomac county, and
Mrs. N. D. Pitman were married here
to-day, Rev. J. W. Porter, D. D. officiating. The groom is a prominent physician
of the Eastern Shore, and the bride is a
well-known and popular resident of this
city.

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AMERICAN COSSACKS.

Troop G, of Fifteenth Cavalry, to Attend Lynchburg Horse Show.

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(Sneclal to The Times-Dispatch.)

LYNCHBURG, VA., Sept. 22.—The management of the Lynchburg Horse Show Association announced to-day that, through the soint efforts of Benators Daniel and Martin and Congressman Carter Glass, that the consent of the War Department has been secured which will permit a detachment of Troop G, of the Fifteenth Cavalry, under Lleutenant Burnett, which is stationed at Fort Meyer, to come here for the four days of the exhibition.

This troop will probably be one of the best attractions that could have been secured for the show, and that it will draw immense crowds of people to the city during the horse show week, there is not the slightest doubt.

This same troop gave an exhibition of some length last year at the Madison Square Garden, in New York city, and the work of the cavalrymen elicited great praise from both the press and the public.

The soldiers are claimed to possess

OFFICIAL CHARGES.

Sensational Allegations Against Justice D. H. Bragonier.

Justice D. H. Bragonier.

(Special to The Times-Lenatch.)

NINCHESTER, VA., Sept. 22.—Charges affecting the official character of Justice D. II. Bragonier, one of the best-known police magistrates in the Virginia Valley, were preferred to-day by Officer Edward L. McIntosh before Acting Mayor William P. McGuire.

The exact nature of the charges have not been announced, but it is stated that they embody allegations of conduct unbecoming a judge.

The affair has created a sensation, in view of Judge Bragonier's prominence.

PLAYED TRUANT AND WENT TO MARRIAGE ALTAR

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Sept. 22.—
It was learned to-day that pretty seventeen-year-old Janie Omohundra and Hermann-West, aged twenty-two weve married yesterday afternoon at Elizabeth
City, N. C. The girl started to school,
played truant, and met her lover. West
is employed at the ship yard.

V. M. I. Professors.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LEXINGTON, VA. Sept. 22.—Mr. J.

Mercer Paxton, a distinguished graduate
of the class of 80, has been appointed a
position in the department of modern
languages at the Vignina Military Institute. Captain Paxton is an accomplished linguist, speaking fluently French,
German, and Spanish.

Mr. Barclay Poague, a graduate of the
class of 1900, has been appointed assistant professor of physics and astronomy
at the Institute. He has had much practical experience in electrical engineering
since his graduation.

Mr. Isaac Benedict of the University

Hennsylvania, has been secured by the
titute authorities as special assistant
bivil and electrical engineering. Mr.
dedict comes to the Institute very highfreedmended. He will give an adleed course in drawing to the prolonal students of the first and secclasses.

OPINIONS RENDERED

Interesting Cases Decided in the Supreme

PETITIONS AND

The Fine Against the Immigration Society of Albemarle Was Confirmed.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) STAUNTON, VA., September 22.-Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia today handed down opinions in five cases,

By Judge James Keith, President: Teawalt v. Ramey's executrix, et als. Circult Court of Shenandoah county; re-

By Judge John A. Buchanan: Immigration Society of Albemarle County v. Commonwealth. Circuit Court of Albemarle county: affirmed.

county; affirmed. By Judge Stafford G. Whittle: Chesa-peake and Ohio Railway Company v. Heath. Circuit Court of Albemarie coun-ty; reversed. City of Charlottesville v. J. S. Failes., Circuit Court of Albemarie county; reversed.

J. S. Falles. Circuit Court of Albemarle county; reversed.

By Judge George M. Harrison: Downing, etc., v. Thompson, et als. Circuit Court of Warren county; reversed.

PETITIONS FOR APPEALS, ETC.
Covington v. Farish's administratrix, etc. Circuit Court of Prince William county; appeal refused.

William R. Trigg Company, et als, v. Bucyrus Company, et als, Chancery Court of city of Richmond; appeal; bould, 5500.

City of Richmond v. Postal Telegraph Cable Company; motion to remove to United States Court overruled. Ratliff v. Ratliff, Circuit Court of Washington county; order amended and

United States Court overruled.
Ratilif v. Ratiliff. Circuit Court of Washington county; order amended and rehearing refused.

MILL BURNED.

The opinion of the court, by Judge Harrison, reverses the judgment of the Circuit Court of Albemarle county and grants a new trial in the case of Chesapeake and Ohio Rallway Company v. Thomas S. Heath.
Heath owned a large flour mill at Scottsville, on the James River division of the Chesapeake and Ohio Rallway situated near the railroad tracks, which was burned on the night of November 8, 1901, and in March following he instituted suit against the rallway company for \$10,000 damages, alleging that the fire was caused by sparks from an engine of that company. The mill was built of brick, covered with slate, and a shed addition was covered with the. A wooden spout, which carried off dust, chaff, etc., from the wheat, came through an attle window in the end of the mill next to the railroad, ran down the wall to the roof of the shed, and over the roof to the edge. The fire was first discovered in the attic of the mill, and it was claimed that this spout, having been set on fire by a spark from an engine, conveyed the fire into the mill. Upon the trial of the case in the Circuit Court, a verdict was rendered in favor of Heath for \$5.500, and from the judgment for that amount the rallway company appealed.

After a very clear and concise statement of the facts proved, Judge Harrison says that the court, being of opinion that there was a failure on the part of the plaintiff to make out a case entitling him to recover, it is considered unnecessary to do more than consider the second assignment of error, which was to the refusal of the lower court to set aside the verdict as contrary to the law and the

without a single fact to support it.

LONG STANDING ACCOUNT.

Upon the death of J. M. Ramey, of Shenandoah county, a suit was instituted by his widow as executive of the estate, in the Circuit Court of that county to secure the payment of his debts and a settlement of his estate. Among the creditors who came into that suit was J. N. Teawalt, who was at one time in the employment of Ramey as a laborer, and afterwards rented land from him the transactions between them extended over a period of twenty-six years, of which no regular book account was kept. The commissioner of the court, who was directed to state the account, filed four statements, finding in the first, or "initial account," a balance due Teawalt of \$507.02, in the second \$1,982.66, and in the third \$255.08, while in the fourth he finds Teawalt indebted to Ramey's estate in the sum of \$5.84. Inc Circuit Court refused to confirm any one of these reports, on the ground that a decree in favor of either parly would be founded more on conjecture than on facts, and dismissed Teawalt with costs, from which Geerce he appealed to the Supreme Court for a reversal.

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Judgo Keith, president of the court, in vriting the opinion in the case of Teawalt vs. Ramey's executirx, says that after giving the evidence in the record its best consideration, the court is of opinion that there is a balance due Teawalt from Ramey's estate; and after striking out a charge for nursing of \$150 and interest and allowing the estate a credit of \$30, which was allowed in the second alternate statement, the "initial

ASTHMA AND HAY FEVER CURED.

The truly marvelous cures of Asthma, which are being effected by Dr. Schiffmann's Asthma Cure certainly call for notice, Rev. G. L. Taylor, of Washburn, Ill.

Wysor at Norton.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

TRITON, VA. Sept. 22.—Hon. J. C. sayr. Democratic candidate for Conws, and Messrs, C. H. Pattor and W. resowling, made rousing Democratic Times here last night to a large and bittle audience. It was a vote-making deformand much enthusiasm was aroused in and much enthusiasm was aroused in the constant of the const

account," showing, as thus corrected, a balance due Teawalt of \$350.02, as of April 1, 1902, is approved, and a decre directed in his favor for that sum, to-

April 1, 1902, is approved, and a decree directed in his favor for that sum, together with costs in both courts.

SUIT AGAINST CITY.

In the case of city of Charlottesville vs. J. S. Falles, the jadgment of the Circuit Court of Albemarle county in favor of Failes, the plaintiff in that court, is reversed and a ney trial awarded.

J. S. Failes, while walking along the sidewalk on Preston Avenue, in the city of Charlottesville, on January 12, 1903, slipped and fell, breaking his right arm near the wrist; whereupon he brought suit against the city for \$1.00 damages for the injury received, alleging defective and unsafe condition of the street. Upon the trial, the jury rendered a verdict in his favor for \$1,200.

Judge Whittle, in his opinion, discusses mainly the question raised upon the ruling of the trial court in denying the motion of the city to set aside the verdict as contrary to the law and evidence. From his review of the facts proved, it appears that the accident occurred in an unimproved quarter of the city, where

with ice, and a fall of snow had filled the washout, and plaintiff admitted in his testimony that he fell because of a slip on the ice. Upon these and other racts stated in the opinion, it is held that "the fact that the sldewalk was in a slippery and dangerous condition was obvious, and imposed upon the plaintiff the necessity of exercising a degree of care for his own safety commensurate with the increased risk. Nevertheless, his own version of the accident shows that he was negligent in that regard, for he admits that he was walking at a rapid galt when he slipped and fell; "and that the trial court erred in overuling the motion to set aside the vedict of the jury as contrary to the law and evidence.

the trial court erred in overuling the motion to set aside the vendict of the jury as contrary to the law and evidence. LICENSE TAX.

The Immigration Society of Albemarie county was found guilty and fined \$100 by the judge of the Corporation Court of the city of Charlottesville at the January (1904) term, under an indictment charging it with seiling and offering for sale land in the city of Charlottesville, without having paid a State license tax for doing business as a real estate agent and from that judgment it obtained a writ of error from the Supreme Court of Appeals. This society was organized under an act to encourage immigration into the Commonwealth of irginia and to promote the sale of lands within the Commonwealth to immigrants," which provides, among other things, that ten or more persons owning land in any county of the State may, be complying with the provisions of that act, be incorporated as a society, the object of which is stated to be "to advertise for sale and to sell or lease lands of the members of said society," and among the privileges given it is that it may be appointed an agent or attorney in fact to sell lands. It is also provided that when so organized it shall not be assessed with a licensa tax as a land agent, either by the State, the also provided that when so organized it shall not be assessed with a license tax as a land agent, either by the State, the county or the town in which its principal office may be located. Under the provisions of this act, this society, whose principal office was in the city of Elarlottesville, claimed to be exempted from the asymetr of any license tax.

visions of this act, this society, whose principal office was in the city of Charlottesville, claimed to be exempted from the payment of any license tax.

Judge Buchanan, in his opinion for the court, quotes at length from the act, under which the society was organized, and in construing the same, holds that although the language used in the second section of the act, standing alone, is sufficiently broad to authorize a company incorporated under the act to be appointed agent or attorney in fact for the sale of lands not owned by its members, yet the object for which the company was authorized to be formed, and for which it was formed, was "to advertise for sale and to sell or lease the lands of the members of the society," and the other provisions of the act ought, as far as possible, to be so construct as for carry out the declared object or intention of the Legislature in enacting the statute. Applying this rule of construction, he concludes that the society was not authorized to sell or offer for an lands of persons other than its members and that it was therefore guilty of the offence charged in the indictment. The judgment of the trial court is affirmed.

TITLE TO STOCK.

The case of Downing, &c., vs., Thomeson et, als, from the Circuit Court of Warren county, opinion by Judge Harrison, involves the title to 163 shares of stock of the Carson Lime Company, of the par value of ten dollars per slate.

J. S. B. Thompson, the owner of the stock; upon the books of the company, arsigned the same in November, 1892, to Henry H. Downing and James E. Yates.

sisted of the Carson Lime company, of the par value of tendency of the par value of tendency of the party whether the company, as security to them for becoming a security to them for becoming as as ecurity to them for becoming as as commodation endorsers upon his negotiable note for 1,000, or any repeats thereof, executing at the same time an irrevocable power of attorney authorizing the terms of the transfer of the note was discounted by the Front Royal Natlonal Bank, and after being renewed several times and curtiled by Thompson, was finally paid by the endorsers, the amount paid being 370. Thompson never paid the company's books. In April, 1201, small, 1201



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sustained or reversed the result to appellants would be the same, for if section 1133 is not applicable to court charteds, for the same reasons section 1135 is not applicable to such charters, and in that case the Circuit Court was without jurisdiction in the proceeding instituted by Carson. If on the olner hand section 1133 is applicable to court charters, then the appellants unust provail, because that section affords them ample protection. It is held that the Creuit Court should have perpetrates the injunction, cancelled the new certificate issued to Carson and proceeded to seil the 164 shares of stock and apply the sustained or reversed the result proceeds to the claim of appellant. The decree is, therefore, reversed and the cause remanded for further proceedings.

DANVILLE ICE PLANT IN FLAMES

(By Associated Press.)

DANVILLE, VA., Sept. 22.—The plant of the Danville Ice Company, the only ice plant in the city, is burning and will be a total loss. The fire was discovered shortly after 2 o'clock and the building was then in a light blaze. The fire department could do nothing but check the spreading of the flames to other buildings. The loss will be between fifty and seventy-five thousand dollars, exactly how much it is impossible to ascertain tonight. How the fire originated is not known. This is the third time the ice plant has been destroyed by fire and each time the destruction of the building was complete.

DEMOCRATIC ACTIVITY.

Exonerate Rowan Rifles From

Exonerate Rowan Rifles From Pilfering—Street Improvement.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SALISBURY, N. C., Sept. 22.—Colonel A. H. Boyden, chairman of the Rowan County Democratic Executive Committee, Ex-Congressman John S. Henderson, who is chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of this Congressional District, and other prominent party leaders of this city, are busily engaged organizing Democratic clubs throughout Rowan county. New clubs with long 1sts of members are being added almost every night. Among the recent organizations is the one effected at China roGve Tuesday night, where more than nifty members were enrolled. Encouraging reports are being received from all parts of the district newland's chances are considered exceptionally good.

Captain M. L. Barker, of the Rowan Riles, as Issued a statement exonorating the company from the charge of participating in the looting of certain business houses in Redsville last week. A very rigid investigation was ordered by Captain Barker and it was found that the members of the Rowan company had none of the goods, alleged to have been taken.

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The work of rebuilding the streets of Salisbury, for which purpose \$90,000 of bonds were voted one year ago, is now under way, City Eng neer C. M. Miller being in charge of the work. Work has also been resumed on the Salisbury-Spencer Street Raileny, and about one-half of the track has already been spiked. The Southern Bell Telephone Company, which bought out the Salisbury and Spencer systems a few months ago, is now engaged-in the work of rebuilding the two plants.

DEMENTED ON SHIP.

Young Man Strangely Affected

Young Man Strangely Affected by Storm at Sea.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Sept. 22.—William Smith, 25 years old, who claims Boston as his home and who says that he has wealthy relatives in the Hub, was taken from the schooner General E. S. Greely, upon her arrival here from Boston, and placed in the jail hospital. Capt. Tulloch, of schooner, claiming that the man lost his mind during the trip. Smith told the captain that he had plenty of money in his own right, but said he wanted to rough it on a trip to the South, and the skipper gave him a berth. During the first few days out the vessel ran into a storm, and during its progress Smith acted in a most peculiar mianner, refusing to cat or sleep, and Captain Tulloch forced him to his berth several times.

ran into a storm and during its plostess. Smith acted in a most peculiar manner refusing to eat or sleep, and Captain fulloch forced him to his berth several times.

When the vessel was out four days the man seemed to be thoroughly demented. He still refused to eat or sleep, and run up and down the dack screaming for help and cclaring that someone was trying to kill him.

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I. O. O. F. WILL NOT ADMIT RED MEN

Sovereign Grand Lodge Decides to Meet in Philadelphia Instead of Washington.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 22.—The Sovereign Grand Ledge of Odd-Fellows has decided to meet next year at Philadelphia materal of Washington.

The constitutional amendment proposing that young men of eighteen years of age be eligible to membership in the order was defeated.

of age be eligible to membership in the order was defeated.

Amendments proposing that the barrier of sex be removed so that the Rebekahs might become representatives to 11:0 Grand Lodge, and that the color line

TWO KILLED AND MANY ARE INJURED

(By Associated Press.)

VINITA, I. T., Sept. 22.—The east pler of a steel toil bridge being erected over Grand River, at Carry's Ferry, ten miles east of Afton, fell at noon, kiling two men, fatally injuring three and injuring twenty-one others, some of whom suffered broken limbs. The dead are:

THOMAS BROWNING,
HENRY BECKER,
The names of the others are not obtainable to-night. A messenger from the scene states that one hundred men were at work at the time and that the pier collapsed with no warning, owing to a faulty construction of the foundation. The bridge was of steel on stone piers and was to connect the east end of the Cherokee nation with Vinita and to take the place of the ferry between Afton and Grove. Grove.

Heavy Damage Suit.

Heavy Damage Suit.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBURG. VA. Sept. 22.—
A suit for \$10,000 has been instituted in
Louisa county by Mrs. M. J. Carnoban,
administratrix of Ernest E. Carnoban,
who was killed at the Arminius mines, in
Louisa county. August 3d. The suit is
brought against William Mann. R. F. Hill
and J. Frederic Kernochan, doing business under the name of the Arminius
Mines and the Arminius Chemical Co.
Mr. G. R. Swift, of this city, is of counsel
for the plaintiff.

A telegram has been received here announcing the illness of Mr. John C. Willisof this city, who is visiting his brother
near Rapidan. It is thought that he has
received a paralytic stroke.

White-Jones.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SOUTH BOSTON, VA., Sept. 22.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Waiter D. Blair was the scene of a pretty home marriage this morning at 8:30. The contracting parties were Miss Beulah Jones. one of Danville's most popular young ladies, and Mr. James B. White, traveling salesman for Stebbins-Lawson-Spragins Co., of this place. The ceremony was performed by Rev. B. M. Beckham, of the Methodist Episcopal Church.
Immediately after the ceremony the happy pair took the south-bound train for Statesville, N. C., their future home.